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CY 2010 Statistical Highlights for Michigan's Unemployment Benefit Program

Michigan's unemployment insurance (UI) program issues jobless benefits to workers who become unemployed through no fault of their own. The benefits are intended to help these workers with a source of temporary income while they seek new employment or await recall to their jobs.

The Unemployment Insurance Agency (UIA) administers Michigan's UI program. UIA issues both state and federal jobless benefits and collects Michigan unemployment taxes from employers, which are used to fund unemployment benefit payments.

Statistics for Michigan's unemployment benefit program

Regular State Benefits	CY 2010	CY 2009_
Total weeks claimed	8,264,708	13,557,952*
Total weeks	7,325,575	12,664,076
compensated		
New initial claims filed	644,435	885,179*
Total benefits paid		87 \$3,771,655,416
Total payments	3,799,664	6,549,274
issued		
Number of first	387,386	652,819
payments		
Average full check amount	\$296.62	\$308.68
Exhaustions	233,020	363,741* Ave.
duration of unemployment claim	19.0 Weeks	19.4 weeks
* Revised		
		CY 2010
Relationship between average weekly state benefit claims and total unemployment		
Claims for regular state jobless benefits (monthly average)		
unemployment (monthly average)	•	
Percent of total unemployed claiming benefits		
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Monetary determinations for state unemployment claims		
Number issued		692,518
Number allowed (66.8%)		462,364
Claimants eligible for both maximum benefits and duration		
Claimants who qualified for maximum weekly benefit	it	205,856
Claimants who actually received maximum number of weeks		
Nonmonetary determinations for state unemployment claims		
Number issued		270,381
Number denied		155,178
57.4% of nonmonetary determinations were denials.		
Major nonmonetary reasons for denying state unemployment claims		
Voluntarily leaving the job (11.7%)		
Failing to meet reporting requirements (20.7%)		55,905

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Demographic data for those claiming state unemployment benefits

(monthly averages based on a sampling of state benefit claims)

Sex: Males: 60.8% Females: 39.2%

Ethnic Hispanic/Latino: Not Hispanic/Latino: INA*: 18.5%

3.5% 78.0%

Race: White: 62.2% African American: Asian: 0.9% INA*: 23.4%

American 12.2% Native
Indian/Alaskan Hawaiian/Pacific
Native: 1.2% Islander: 0.1%

Age: 3.1% 22-24:

Under 22: 35-44: **24.2**% 45-54: **5.9**% **25.7**% 25-34: 55- **23.8**% **9.2**%

60-64: **5.4%** 65+: **2.7%**

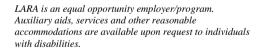
Industries:

Agriculture/forestry/fishing: -- 0.5%; Mining: --0.4%; Utilities: --0.1%; Construction: --10.7%; Manufacturing: --29.5%; Wholesale trade: --4.4%; Retail trade: --6.2%; Transportation/warehouse: --3.2%; Information: --0.9%; Finance & insurance: --2.0%; Real estate: --1.2%; Professional/scientific/ technical services: --5.4%; Management of company/enterprise: --1.1%; Administration & support/waste mgmt/remediation svc: --10.5%; Education svc: --1.6%; Health care & social assistance: --4.6%; Arts, entertainment & recreation: --1.5%; Accommodation & food svc: --3.6%; Other svc: --1.7%; Public admin: --0.9%; INA*: --10.0%.

Occupations:

Management: -- 5.1%; Business & financial ops.: --1.9%; Computer & math: -- 1.3%; Architecture & engineering: --2.2%; Life, physical & social sciences: -- 0.1%; Community & social svc: -- 0.5%; Legal: -- 0.4%; Education, training & library: -- 1.2%; Art design, entertainment, sports & media: -- 0.6%; Health care, practice & technical: --0.8%; Health care support: --2.1%; Protective svc: --0.5%; Food preparation & serving related: --2.9%; Building & grounds cleaning & maintenance:

INA – Information not available -2.2%; Personal care & svc: --0.8%; Sales & related: --6.5%; Office & administrative support: --6.5%; Farming, fishing & forestry: --0.5%; Construction & extraction: --5.0%; Installation, maintenance & repair: --4.3%; Production: --23.3%; Transportation & material moving: --4.6%; Military specific --0.1%; INA: --26.7%.





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